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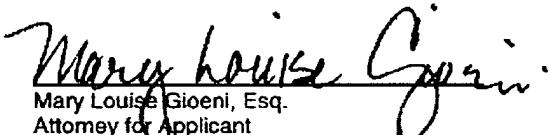
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Response to Office Action Under 37 CFR §1.111

Dear Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action mailed on September 14, 2007, in connection with the above-identified U.S. Patent Application. As the three-month period for response December 14, 2007; this response is timely filed.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.